

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 8 at
line 22 with the following amended paragraph:

In the process of the present invention, a polar ionic solid is produced by alignment of local dipoles of the molecules in an amorphous compound by applying a mechanical strain. Any method that creates a mechanical strain, such as electric-~~field~~ field, temperature gradient, etc., would be suitable for achieving alignment of the local dipoles thereby forming a macroscopic dipole moment.